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REMARKS

In response to the Restriction Requirement of August 19, 2008, <u>Applicant hereby</u> <u>elects Invention I which is drawn to Claims 1-12 and 26-29</u>. Applicant has cancelled the claims drawn to Invention II (Claims 13-25 and 30). This cancellation is done without prejudice to the filing of a divisional application for these claims. Applicant has also added new dependent Claims 31-35, each of which depend from Claim 1. As these new claims depend from a claim of Invention I, they include all of the recitations of Invention I, and hence should be examined

Favorable examination and allowance of Claims 1-12, 26-29 and 31-35 is requested. If the Examiner deems that this response is not completely responsive, the undersigned respectfully asks the Examiner to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below, so as to resolve any issues that are not apparent to the undersigned.

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